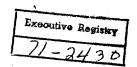
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Director-Comptroller

SUBJECT

: Report of Cable Secretariat Operations

1 - 30 April 1971

1. The workload in April 1971 was 72,557 items, a 12% increase over April 1970. For the ten months of FY 1971 we are running 4% more than for the same period in Fiscal Year 1970.

2. As of 30 April 1971 our assigned strength remains at persons, making us even with our authorized strength for FY 1971.

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On 9 April 1971, O/PPB, briefed

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and me on the results of the study he made

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of dissemination units, including the Cable Secretariat.

recommendations as I recall them were to: a) transfer non-CIA cable dissemination functions to CRS, and DDP traffic to DDP, or; b) transfer non-CIA cable dissemination functions to CRS, and leave DDP traffic with the Cable Secretariat, or; c) subordinate the Cable Secretariat to the Office of Communications vice the Office of the Director. Since both

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IG Staff concern the Cable Secretariat, it is hoped that copies can be

made available to us at some point.

4. Progress toward the goal of purchasing a document sorter from Collator Corporation, Seattle, Washington has been slow. The necessary forms and authorizations are in the hands of the Contract Branch, Office of Logistics. Collator Corporation has stated that they will require 90 Days for delivery from the time the contract is signed.

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